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PATENT

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Applicant:	PHILLIPS	Examiner:	S. CATTUNGAL
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Title:	PROSTHETIC HEART FUNCTION EVALUATION METHOD AND APPARATUS		

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2008. A petition for a two-month extension of time is enclosed to extend the deadline for response from April 11, 2008 to June 11, 2008. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.